

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the present amendment is respectfully requested. Claims 3-7 and 16 are pending. Claims 3, 4, and 16 are amended and claims 1, 2, and 8-15 are canceled. Claim 4 is amended to depend from claim 3.

The specification is amended to include appropriate headings for the parts of the specification and to correct minor editorial problems. No new matter is added to the specification by this amendment.

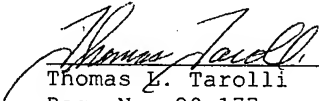
Applicant appreciates the allowance of claims 3 and 16 if rewritten in independent form to include all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Accordingly, claims 3 and 16 are amended to include all of the limitations of the base claim and intervening claims. Therefore, claims 3 and 16 are allowable. Claims 4-7, which depend from claim 3, are allowable as depending from an allowable claim and also for the specific limitations recited therein.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the above-identified application is in condition for allowance, and allowance of the above-identified application is respectfully requested

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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